Application No. 10/551,585 **Art Unit** 3768

Docket No. 03809-P03873US00 Examiner Nguyen, H.

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In re the Application of: Leach et al. : Group Art: 3768

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 17, 2010, please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice or disclaimer, as follows. Reconsideration of the outstanding rejections is respectfully requested in view of the remarks and arguments presented below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.